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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

With reference to the Restriction Requirement dated December 14, 2004,

Applicant respectfully asserts that the Restriction Requirement is improper and no response is required.

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The Restriction Requirement of December 14, 2004 alleges that two inventions are defined by claims 1-5 and claims 6-13, and requires election of one of these inventions for further prosecution.

However, the instant application is a division of parent Application No. 10/259,971 which was filed on September 27, 2002. The transmittal papers accompanying the filing of the instant application, on August 21, 2003, canceled original claims 6-13. Accordingly, only claims 1-5 were presented for examination and are pending.

Nevertheless, in order to be fully responsive to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant hereby elects the invention defined by claims 1-5.

In light of the improperly issued Restriction Requirement, no fee is believed to be due in connection with this response. However, should any fee be required in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

Respectfully submitted,

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